

Senate Standing Committee on Economics
ANSWERS TO QUESTIONS ON NOTICE
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TOPIC: Green Building Fund

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QUESTION No.: SI-11

To date how many of the grantees have;

- (i) been subjected to compliance activities by AusIndustry?
- (ii) not met their obligations outlined under the programme's eligibility criteria due to technical failure of projects? (note – recipients are not required to pay back the Commonwealth for projects that do not meet obligations due to 'technical failure of projects')
 - (a) To date what is the financial cost to the Commonwealth from recipients who fail to meet the *Green Building Fund* guidelines because of technical failure of a project?
- (iii) not complied with its obligations/grant agreement under the *Green Building Fund*? (i.e. – where recipients have deviated from their submissions/grant agreement, recipients have to pay back grants provided by the Commonwealth due to non compliance with the programme's guidelines)
 - (b) What is the financial cost to the Commonwealth from grant recipients who fail to meet the *Green Building Fund* guidelines because of non compliance of obligations?

ANSWER

- (i) All 126 grantees
- (ii) None
 - (a) Not Applicable
- (iii) None
 - (b) Not Applicable